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**Hua Han Bio-Pharmaceutical Holdings Limited**  
**華瀚生物製藥控股有限公司**

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**ANNOUNCES SUCCESSFUL STRATEGIC COOPERATION WITH CARREFOUR IN CHINA  
TO DISTRIBUTE “MAGIC 美即” SERIES IN CARREFOUR’S APPROXIMATELY 70 CHAIN STORES ALL OVER  
THE COUNTRY  
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(Hong Kong, 29 March 2006) – **Hua Han Bio-Pharmaceutical Holdings Limited** (“Hua Han” or the “Group”)(Stock Code: 587), a leading manufacturer of naturally sourced gynecological medicines and medicinal healthcare products for women, today announced its successful strategic cooperation with Carrefour in China to expand the sales of “**Magic 美即**” Series into its approximately 70 nation-wide stores.

The Group has signed a contract with Carrefour to distribute its “**Magic 美即**” series products. Under the agreement, “**Magic 美即**” will start to be distributed in Carrefour’s chain stores throughout China before the end of May 2006. Carrefour now has approximately 70 supermarkets located in 29 major cities in China including Beijing, Shanghai, Tianjin, Chongqing, Guangzhou, Shenzhen and other cities.

The turnover of medicinal healthcare products under the brand series of “**Magic 美即**” accounted for approximately 10.9% of the Group’s turnover in six months ended 31 December, 2005, representing a robust growth of 227.7% compared with the same period last year. Hua Han plans to double its points of sales of “**Magic 美即**” series from the existing approximately 350 to approximately 700 in the coming year.

Mr. Deng Jie, Chief Executive Officer of Hua Han, said, “We are very pleased to announce this cooperation with Carrefour. We believe it will be another successful strategic expansion of the Group’s distribution channel after establishing the distribution agreement with Watsons. The robust growth of “**Magic 美即**” has demonstrated the success of our strategic product diversifications and established distribution channel with leading retailers in China. The robust growth has allowed the Group in exploring more opportunities in gynecological products segment with higher profit margin. The Group will continue to focus on product development, further enrich the Group’s product mix of gynecological products, and seek for more business cooperation with famous nation-wide retail channels.”

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**About Hua Han Bio-Pharmaceutical Holdings Limited**

Hua Han Bio-Pharmaceutical Holdings Limited is a leading manufacturer of a range of naturally sourced gynecological medicines and medicinal healthcare products for women. Hua Han is NOT a generic drug producer. Capitalizing on China’s huge pharmaceutical market, Hua Han has enjoyed robust growth in both turnover and net profit in the past 4 years. Moreover, its quality products and proprietary production technology are unrivaled in the marketplace. In addition to its extensive gynecological specialist network, Hua Han has a strong focus on R&D and various strategic alliances with distinguished medical research institutions in China and Hong Kong. Furthermore, Hua Han has a nationwide sales and distribution network with offices in 29 major

provinces and municipalities in China and direct distribution channels to over 3,000 hospitals, 70,000 drugstores and 2,000 supermarkets. Hua Han has recently formed a strategic alliance with Haw Par Corporation Limited, which is a Singapore-listed multinational pharmaceutical enterprise. The Group was listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited on 10 December 2002.